

## THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

**Publication Date:** September 15, 2006 **Requesting Department:** Water Department

Title: Request for Qualifications for Construction Management

Services for Otay Water Treatment Plant Upgrades, Phases 1 &

**Submittal Due Date:** 2

Project Manager: Friday, October 13, 2006
Contract Specialist: Ed Fordan, (619) 533-3894
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The City of San Diego Water Department (City) is requesting Statements of Qualifications (SOQ) from consulting firms (Respondents) for Construction Management (Professional Services). The qualified consultant shall have professional expertise in Construction Management Services on Water Treatment Plants.

The RFQ will be available for pick-up at City of San Diego, Water Department, 600 B Street, Suite 600, San Diego, CA 92101, (619) 533-4242 or electronically at <a href="mailto:jmendivil@sandiego.gov">jmendivil@sandiego.gov</a> beginning September 15, 2006.

Submit SOQs to:

City of San Diego
Purchasing and Contracting
Attn: John Mendivil, Consultant Services Coordinator
1200 Third Avenue, Suite 200
San Diego, CA 92101

Submittals must be received at the location stated above before 5:00 p.m., Friday, October 13, 2006. All SOQs submitted must be in full accord with the RFQ.

A Pre-Submittal Meeting will be held on Thursday, September 28, 2006, at 600 B Street, 8<sup>th</sup> floor in Conference Room 8A at 2:00 p.m. Please contact Jorge Larriva, Contract Specialist, if you have questions about the RFQ, at (619) 533-4648 or <u>jlarriva@sandiego.gov</u> or the Project Manager, Ed Fordan at (619) 533-4105, <u>efordan@sandiego.gov</u>.

## **COMMITMENT TO EQUAL OPPORTUNITY:**

It is the policy of the City of San Diego to encourage equal opportunity in its professional services contracts. Toward this end, SOQs from small businesses, disabled owned businesses, women owned businesses, firms owned by African-Americans, Native Americans, Asian-Americans, Filipinos and Latinos, and local firms are strongly encouraged. Prime Consultants are encouraged to subconsult or joint venture with these firms. The City endeavors to do business with firms sharing the City's commitment to equal opportunity and will not do business

with any firm that discriminates on the basis of race, religion, color, ancestry, age, gender, sexual orientation, disability, medical condition, or place of birth.

If your firm wishes to claim status as a certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) or a Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE) please attach a copy of your certificate. If your firm is not currently certified and is interested in participating as a DBE in the Unified Certification Program (UCP) of California or wishes to obtain DVBE status, the applications, information and directions are available at the following websites:

DBE: www.dot.ca.gov/hq/bep

DVBE: www.pd.dgs.ca.gov/smbus/default.htm

This RFQ does not commit the City to award a contract or any work under a contract. The City will not assume any costs incurred in the preparation of a SOQ pursuant to this RFQ. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all SOQs received as a result of the RFQ. The City also reserves the right to revise the RFQ, including but not limited to the SOQ due date. If the City revises the RFQ, all RFQ holders of record will be notified in writing by the City.